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Title: STABLE BISPHENOLIC COMPOSITIONS

Inventor(s): Arbuckle et al

Application No.: 10/070,623

Filing Date: March 4, 2002

Enclosures:

1. Transmittal Form PTO-1083 (1 pg) and duplicate thereof (1 pg)
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a reply to an office action in the subject application.

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ Petition For Extension Of Time
☐ Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$ 0.

☒ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 07-0181 for the appropriate petition fee.

☐ No additional claim fee is required.

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
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Respectfully submitted,

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